

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant	:	Yuichiro Nakamura et al.	
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Examiner	:	Mark L. Shevin	
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Title	:	Co-Cr-Pt-B ALLOY SPUTTERING TARGET	

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is an Amendment timely submitted in response to a non-final Office Action dated December 28, 2009. The deadline for response is Monday, March 29, 2010 since March 28, 2010 falls on a Sunday. Kindly amend the application as set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.